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Customer No. 22,852  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Robert Frederick VEASEY et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3763  
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Application No.: 10/820,047 ) Examiner: Theodore J.  
 ) STIGELL  
Filed: April 8, 2004 )  
 ) Confirmation No.: 7333  
For: DRIVE MECHANISMS SUITABLE FOR USE )  
IN DRUG DELIVERY DEVICES )

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31**

Applicant appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the  
Examiner's decision mailed June 13, 2006.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time - One Month and \$120.00 one month extension fee to respond to the final Office Action was filed on October 13, 2006 extending the period for response to October 13, 2006.
2. ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time - Three Months and the remaining \$900.00 of the \$1,020.00 three month extension fee to further extend the period for response to December 13, 2006 is enclosed.
3. ☒ The Appeal Fee of \$500.00 ☒ is enclosed or ☐ is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.
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Respectfully submitted,

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